UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

IN RE: CENTURYLINK SALES PRACTICES AND SECURITIES LITIGATION

This Document Relates to: 17-2832, 17-4613, 17-4614, 17-4615, 17-4616, 17-4617, 17-4618, 17-4619, 17-4622, 17-4943, 17-4944, 17-4945, 17-4947, 17-5001, 17-5046, 18-1573, 18-1572, 18-1565, 18-1562

MDL No. 17-2795 (MJD/KMM)

PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR ATTORNEYS' FEES, REIMBURSEMENT OF COSTS AND EXPENSES, AND CLASS REPRESENTATIVE SERVICE AWARDS

Plaintiffs, by and through Settlement Class Counsel Zimmerman Reed, LLP, O'Mara Law Group, and Geragos & Geragos APC, move this Court for an Order awarding:

(1) attorneys' fees in the amount of \$6,166,667 and reimbursement of costs and reimbursement of expenses in the amount of \$325,608.54; and, (2) class representative service awards of \$2,500.

The Court's January 28, 2020 Order (ECF No. 528), among other things, granted preliminary approval of the proposed settlement, conditionally certified a Settlement Class, appointed Settlement Class Representatives and Settlement Class Counsel, and approved the Class Notice and ordered it be disseminated according to the proposed Notice Plan. This Notice informed Settlement Class Members that Settlement Class Counsel would seek class representative service awards of up to \$2,500, and for an award of "attorneys' fees of up to one-third of the [\$18,500,000] maximum value of the Settlement... plus reimbursement of costs." (ECF No. 469-1 at ¶ 11).

This motion is based upon the Declaration of Brian C. Gudmundson, the Memorandum in support of the Motion, and upon all files, records, and proceedings in this matter.

Dated: June 2, 2020 Respectfully submitted,

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